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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**  
2007–2008 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State standards known as *Learning Results*, adopted by the Maine Legislature in 1997. These *Learning Results* established goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and are the basis for Grade Level/Span Expectations, which describe the assessment standards for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind Act*.

The 2007-2008 MEA summary reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades, science and technology at grades 4 and 8, and writing at grade 5 based on achievement standards set in 2006 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. The grade 5 writing reports provide information on a student's ability to respond to a prompt measuring narrative writing. More information about the design of the MEA is available at [www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm](http://www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm).

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the Maine Educational Assessment.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron  
Commissioner of Education



## School Report Grade 6

Test Date: March 2008  
Code: 12521731  
SAU: MSAD 58  
School: Stratton Elementary School

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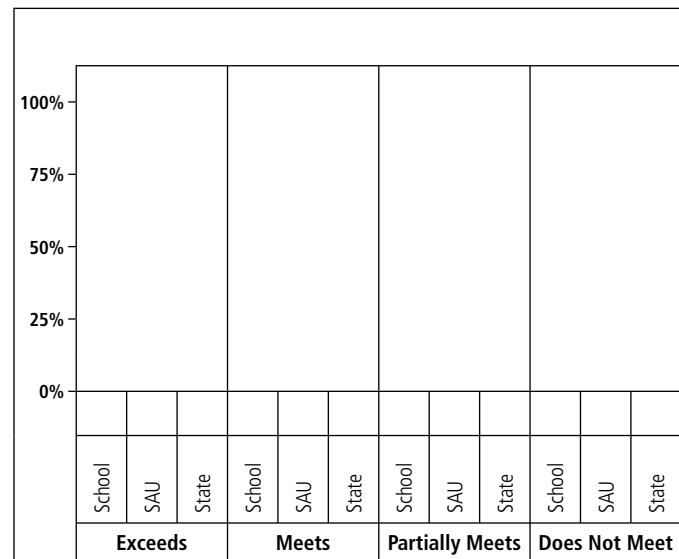
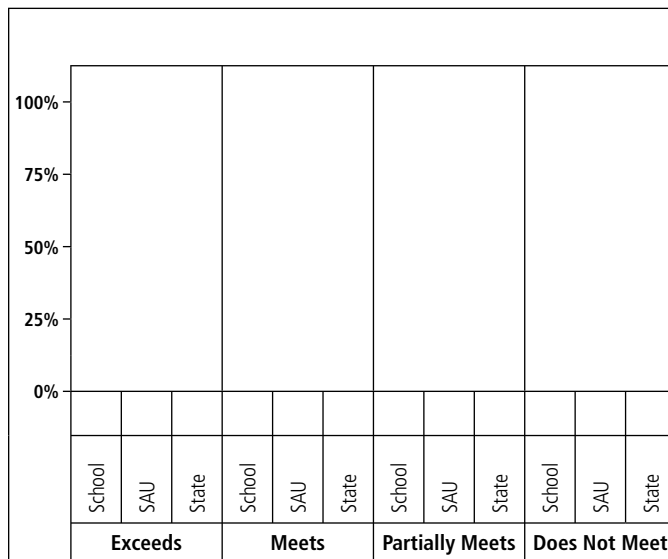
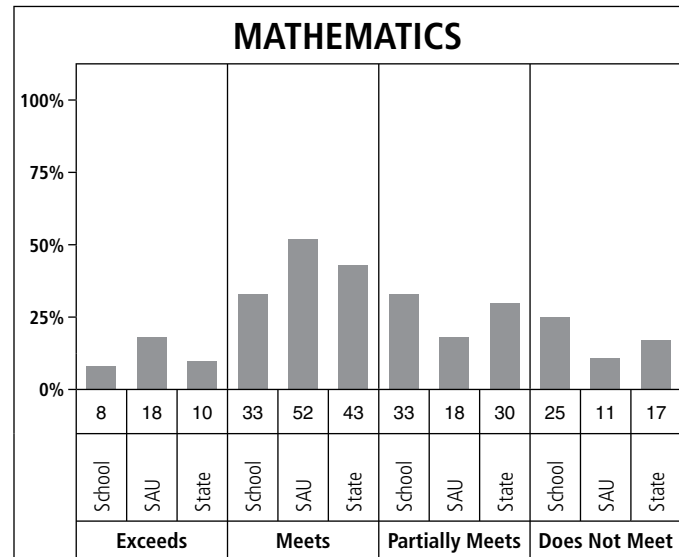
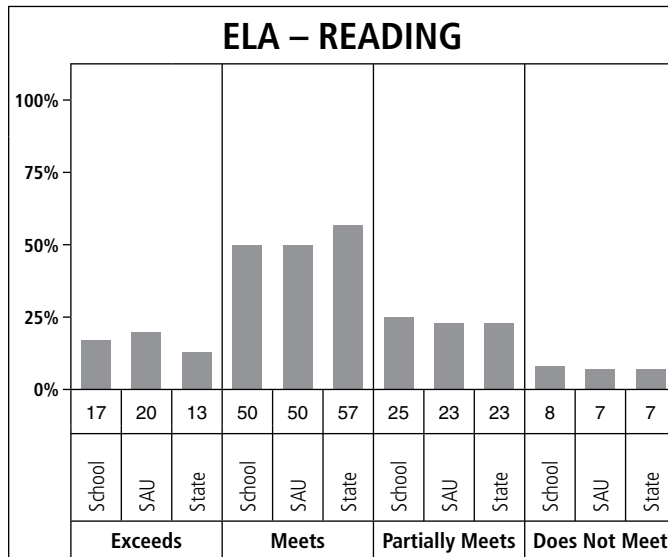
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# SUMMARY OF SCORES

Test Date: March 2008  
Grade: 6  
SAU: MSAD 58  
School: Stratton Elementary School

Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores			
Year	Average Scaled Score		
	School	SAU	State
<b>ELA – Reading</b>			
2005–2006	647	644	644
2006–2007	648	642	646
<b>2007–2008</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>648</b>
Cum. Avg. *	648	645	646
<b>Mathematics</b>			
2005–2006	636	643	641
2006–2007	634	641	643
<b>2007–2008</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>642</b>
Cum. Avg. *	636	644	642



\*Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.

# SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION

Test Date: March 2008  
Grade: 6  
SAU: MSAD 58  
School: Stratton Elementary School

CATEGORY OF PARTICIPATION	Enrollment <sup>1</sup> during testing window						CONTENT AREA PARTICIPATION <sup>2</sup>																							
							ELA-Reading						Mathematics																	
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
Total number of students	12	100	44	100	14365	100	12	100	44	100	14266	99	12	100	44	100	14268	99												
Ethnicity African American/Black	0	0	1	2	418	3	0	0	1	100	407	97	0	0	1	100	413	99												
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	111	1	0	0	0	0	110	99	0	0	0	0	110	99												
Asian or Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	249	2	0	0	0	0	249	100	0	0	0	0	248	100												
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	149	1	0	0	0	0	147	99	0	0	0	0	147	99												
Caucasian/White	12	100	43	98	13438	94	12	100	43	100	13353	100	12	100	43	100	13350	100												
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0												
Identified disability	3	25	7	16	2518	18	3	100	7	100	2479	99	3	100	7	100	2479	99												
Current LEP	0	0	0	0	349	2	0	0	0	0	339	97	0	0	0	0	344	99												
Economically disadvantaged	6	50	23	52	5335	37	6	100	23	100	5277	99	6	100	23	100	5279	99												
Migrant	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	100	0	0	0	0	7	100												

MODE OF PARTICIPATION <sup>3</sup>	ELA-Reading						Mathematics											
	School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State		School		SAU		State	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
<b>Participation without accommodations</b>	8	67	36	82	11613	81	10	83	38	86	11626	81						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	373	3	1	10	1	3	373	3						
LEP	0	0	0	0	187	2	0	0	0	0	187	2						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	149	1	0	0	0	0	150	1						
<b>Participation with accommodations</b>	4	33	8	18	2451	17	2	17	6	14	2446	17						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	3	75	7	88	1909	78	2	100	6	100	1910	78						
LEP	0	0	0	0	142	6	0	0	0	0	152	6						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	85	3	0	0	0	0	84	3						
Other	1	25	1	13	350	14	0	0	0	0	335	14						
<b>Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)</b>	0	0	0	0	197	1	0	0	0	0	196	1						
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	0	0	0	0	197	100	0	0	0	0	196	100						
LEP	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	5	3						
504 plan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
<b>Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP</b>	0	0	0	0	5	0												
<b>Approved non-participation – special consideration</b>	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	24	0						
<b>Non-participation – other</b>	0	0	0	0	75	1	0	0	0	0	73	1						

1 Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.

2 Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.

3 Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.

# ELA–READING RESULTS

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	6
SAU:	MSAD 58
School:	Stratton Elementary School

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Exceeds the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (scaled score 661–680)	2005-2006	2	11	4	8	1176	8
	2006-2007	1	8	1	2	1132	8
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1817</b>	<b>13</b>
	Cum. Total*	5	12	14	10	4125	10
<b>Meets the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (scaled score 641–660)	2005-2006	9	50	22	45	7612	51
	2006-2007	9	75	25	49	8127	57
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>8072</b>	<b>57</b>
	Cum. Total*	24	57	69	48	23811	55
<b>Partially Meets the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student’s ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (scaled score 629–640)	2005-2006	7	39	15	31	4080	27
	2006-2007	1	8	17	33	3549	25
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3194</b>	<b>23</b>
	Cum. Total*	11	26	42	29	10823	25
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student’s responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (scaled score 600–628)	2005-2006	0	0	8	16	2005	13
	2006-2007	1	8	8	16	1478	10
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>981</b>	<b>7</b>
	Cum. Total*	2	5	19	13	4464	10

Learning Results Content Standard Cluster	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Total Reading Cluster</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>100</b>	33.3	59.5	33.8	60.4	32.7	58.4
<b>Literary Text</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>50</b>	15.8	56.4	17.0	60.7	16.3	58.2
<b>Informational Text</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>50</b>	17.4	62.1	16.8	60.0	16.5	58.9

The Maine *Learning Results* reading cluster includes Content Standards A (Process of Reading), B (Literature and Culture), and D (Informational Texts). The MEA assesses students’ reading skills based on questions related to two types of reading passages: literary and informational. Passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. Items on the MEA measure Grade Level Expectations, based on Maine’s 1997 *Learning Results*, which can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm>.

\*Percentages are calculated by dividing the cumulative total of the number of students in the achievement level by the cumulative total of the number of students tested.

# ELA-READING RESULTS

## (CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2008  
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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
<b>All Students</b>	12	2	17	6	50	3	25	1	8	649	44	20	50	23	7	649	14064	13	57	23	7	648
<b>Ethnicity</b>																						
African American/Black	0										1						399	7	47	28	17	642
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						108	4	54	32	10	643
Asian or Pacific Islander	0										0						247	16	60	20	4	650
Hispanic	0										0						145	8	45	34	14	643
Caucasian/White	12	2	17	6	50	3	25	1	8	649	43	21	51	21	7	650	13165	13	58	22	7	648
Not Reported	0										0						0					
<b>Identified disability</b>																						
Yes	3										7	0	29	29	43	633	2282	2	29	42	27	636
No	9	2	22	5	56	2	22	0	0	653	37	24	54	22	0	652	11782	15	63	19	3	650
<b>Current LEP</b>																						
Yes	0										0						329	4	44	30	22	640
No	12	2	17	6	50	3	25	1	8	649	44	20	50	23	7	649	13735	13	58	23	7	648
<b>Economically disadvantaged</b>																						
Yes	6	0	0	3	50	2	33	1	17	641	23	17	39	30	13	644	5153	6	51	31	12	643
No	6	2	33	3	50	1	17	0	0	657	21	24	62	14	0	655	8911	17	61	18	4	650
<b>Migrant</b>																						
Yes	0										0						7	14	57	14	14	648
No	12	2	17	6	50	3	25	1	8	649	44	20	50	23	7	649	14057	13	57	23	7	648
<b>Gender</b>																						
Female	4										18	33	39	28	0	654	6967	16	59	20	5	650
Male	8	1	13	4	50	2	25	1	13	648	26	12	58	19	12	646	7097	9	56	26	9	646
Not Reported	0										0						0					
<b>Title 1A targeted program</b>																						
Yes	6	0	0	4	67	2	33	0	0	647	6	0	67	33	0	648	1186	6	41	42	11	642
No	6	2	33	2	33	1	17	1	17	651	38	24	47	21	8	650	12878	14	59	21	7	648
<b>Gifted/talented program</b>																						
Yes	0										0						557	50	48	2	0	661
No	12	2	17	6	50	3	25	1	8	649	44	20	50	23	7	649	13507	11	58	24	7	647

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. N = Number

# ELA–READING RESULTS

## (QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2008  
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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State						
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	
		%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N														%
How much homework do you do on school nights?																							
A. none	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	640	5	0	50	0	50	629	6	7	43	30	20	641	
B. less than one hour	67	2	25	4	50	1	13	1	13	651	64	25	36	36	4	650	56	13	58	23	6	648	
C. one to two hours	17	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	647	30	15	77	0	8	652	34	15	60	20	5	649	
D. more than two hours	8	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	644	2	0	100	0	0	644	3	9	46	29	16	643	
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading?																							
A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class.	25	0	0	2	67	1	33	0	0	649	34	40	33	27	0	655	40	17	60	19	5	650	
B. They match some of what I have learned.	33	2	50	2	50	0	0	0	0	656	39	12	65	18	6	650	48	12	59	23	6	648	
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	33	0	0	2	50	1	25	1	25	644	27	8	50	25	17	642	9	7	45	34	15	643	
D. There is no match.	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	640	0						3	3	31	37	29	637	
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?																							
A. very good	25	2	67	0	0	1	33	0	0	657	20	56	33	11	0	660	28	26	58	11	4	653	
B. good	67	0	0	5	63	2	25	1	13	645	50	14	59	23	5	649	54	9	61	24	6	647	
C. fair	8	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	654	25	9	45	27	18	644	16	3	48	37	13	642	
D. poor	0										5	0	50	50	0	641	2	1	37	39	23	637	
How difficult was the reading part of this test?																							
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	33	0	0	2	50	2	50	0	0	642	23	20	30	30	20	642	15	10	48	27	15	644	
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	58	1	14	4	57	1	14	1	14	651	70	19	58	19	3	652	66	13	59	22	5	649	
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	8	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	664	7	33	33	33	0	649	18	15	58	20	7	649	
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?																							
A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.	0										7	0	33	33	33	629	9	2	37	37	23	638	
B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.	50	0	0	4	67	1	17	1	17	643	59	15	50	27	8	648	54	9	59	26	6	647	
C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	50	2	33	2	33	2	33	0	0	654	34	33	53	13	0	656	36	21	60	15	4	652	
How hard did you try on the reading part of this test?																							
A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.	50	0	0	2	33	3	50	1	17	640	45	10	55	30	5	648	46	13	56	24	7	648	
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	50	2	33	4	67	0	0	0	0	657	45	35	50	15	0	654	50	14	60	21	6	649	
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	0										9	0	25	25	50	632	3	5	46	30	20	641	
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?																							
A. more than one hour	0										14	33	17	33	17	651	19	19	58	17	6	651	
B. 20 minutes to an hour	58	2	29	3	43	2	29	0	0	653	45	15	60	25	0	651	51	15	60	20	5	649	
C. less than 20 minutes	33	0	0	2	50	1	25	1	25	640	30	31	38	23	8	650	12	9	56	26	9	646	
D. I rarely read at home.	8	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	654	11	0	80	0	20	642	18	4	50	34	13	643	
Optional school/SAU question																							
A.	0										0												
B.	0										0												
C.	0										0												
D.	0										0												

# MATHEMATICS RESULTS

Test Date: March 2008  
Grade: 6  
SAU: MSAD 58  
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ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL					
		School		SAU		State	
		N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Exceeds the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (scaled score 661–680)	2005-2006	0	0	7	14	1463	10
	2006-2007	0	0	7	14	2092	15
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1474</b>	<b>10</b>
	Cum. Total*	1	2	22	15	5029	12
<b>Meets the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student’s work may contain minor errors. (scaled score 641–660)	2005-2006	6	33	21	43	5914	40
	2006-2007	3	25	15	29	5731	40
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>6008</b>	<b>43</b>
	Cum. Total*	13	31	59	41	17653	41
<b>Partially Meets the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (scaled score 627–640)	2005-2006	8	44	13	27	4494	30
	2006-2007	6	50	19	37	4175	29
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4244</b>	<b>30</b>
	Cum. Total*	18	43	40	28	12913	30
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student’s work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student’s responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (scaled score 600–626)	2005-2006	4	22	8	16	3014	20
	2006-2007	3	25	10	20	2308	16
	<b>2007-2008</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2346</b>	<b>17</b>
	Cum. Total*	10	24	23	16	7668	18

Learning Results Content Standard Clusters	Number of Points Possible		Average Points Attained (Number and Percent)					
			School		SAU		State	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
<b>Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34</b>	9.4	49.5	11.4	60.0	9.6	50.5
<b>Cluster 2: Shape and Size</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>27</b>	7.9	52.7	9.1	60.7	8.1	54.0
<b>Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	3.4	48.6	4.5	64.3	4.2	60.0
<b>Cluster 4: Patterns</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>27</b>	5.6	37.3	8.2	54.7	7.5	50.0

- Cluster 1: Numbers and Operations**  
A. Numbers and Number Sense  
B. Computation  
I. Discrete Mathematics (grades 3 and 4 only)
- Cluster 2: Shape and Size**  
E. Geometry  
F. Measurement
- Cluster 3: Mathematical Decision Making**  
C. Data Analysis and Statistics  
D. Probability
- Cluster 4: Patterns**  
G. Patterns, Relations, and Functions  
H. Algebra Concepts  
K. Mathematical Communication

Each content standard in the clusters above is defined in Maine’s 1997 *Learning Results*, which are the basis for Grade Level Expectations. Each item on the MEA measures a grade level expectation, which can be found at <http://www.maine.gov/education/lsalt/gles.htm>.

# MATHEMATICS RESULTS

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SAU:	MSAD 58
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REPORTING CATEGORIES	School										SAU						State					
	Tested	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		N	%	%	%	%		N	%	%	%	%	
<b>All Students</b>	12	1	8	4	33	4	33	3	25	638	44	18	52	18	11	647	14072	10	43	30	17	642
<b>Ethnicity</b>																						
African American/Black	0										1						409	4	26	35	35	632
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0										0						108	6	26	39	29	635
Asian or Pacific Islander	0										0						247	13	50	25	13	646
Hispanic	0										0						145	9	32	34	25	638
Caucasian/White	12	1	8	4	33	4	33	3	25	638	43	19	53	19	9	648	13163	11	43	30	16	643
Not Reported	0										0						0					
<b>Identified disability</b>																						
Yes	3										7	14	14	29	43	632	2283	2	18	31	49	627
No	9	1	11	4	44	3	33	1	11	644	37	19	59	16	5	650	11789	12	48	30	10	645
<b>Current LEP</b>																						
Yes	0										0						339	5	22	32	41	631
No	12	1	8	4	33	4	33	3	25	638	44	18	52	18	11	647	13733	11	43	30	16	643
<b>Economically disadvantaged</b>																						
Yes	6	0	0	1	17	3	50	2	33	628	23	13	43	26	17	641	5160	4	34	36	26	636
No	6	1	17	3	50	1	17	1	17	648	21	24	62	10	5	654	8912	14	48	27	11	646
<b>Migrant</b>																						
Yes	0										0						7	0	57	43	0	641
No	12	1	8	4	33	4	33	3	25	638	44	18	52	18	11	647	14065	10	43	30	17	642
<b>Gender</b>																						
Female	4										18	22	50	22	6	650	6974	10	43	31	16	642
Male	8	0	0	4	50	2	25	2	25	637	26	15	54	15	15	646	7098	11	42	30	17	642
Not Reported	0										0						0					
<b>Title 1A targeted program</b>																						
Yes	6	0	0	2	33	3	50	1	17	636	6	17	33	33	17	641	1192	4	23	43	30	634
No	6	1	17	2	33	1	17	2	33	641	38	18	55	16	11	648	12880	11	44	29	15	643
<b>Gifted/talented program</b>																						
Yes	0										0						557	53	42	4	0	663
No	12	1	8	4	33	4	33	3	25	638	44	18	52	18	11	647	13515	9	43	31	17	641

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

NOTE: Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested. N = Number



# MATHEMATICS RESULTS

## (QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date:	March 2008
Grade:	6
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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	School										SAU						State					
	Students in Each Category	E		M		P		D		Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	M	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%	%	
<b>How much homework do you do on school nights?</b>																						
A. none	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	624	5	0	50	0	50	627	6	6	33	31	31	635
B. less than one hour	67	1	13	3	38	2	25	2	25	642	64	18	43	25	14	645	56	11	43	30	16	643
C. one to two hours	17	0	0	1	50	1	50	0	0	636	30	23	77	0	0	657	34	11	45	30	14	644
D. more than two hours	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	630	2	0	0	100	0	630	3	6	33	32	28	636
<b>How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?</b>																						
A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics class.	33	0	0	1	25	1	25	2	50	629	61	22	59	11	7	652	45	14	47	28	11	646
B. They match some of what I have learned.	50	1	17	3	50	2	33	0	0	647	34	13	47	33	7	643	43	8	43	33	17	641
C. They match just a little of what I have learned.	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	640	0						9	6	30	33	32	635
D. There is no match.	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	624	5	0	0	0	100	614	3	5	15	25	54	626
<b>Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?</b>																						
A. very good	33	0	0	2	50	0	0	2	50	636	32	29	50	7	14	650	29	24	51	17	8	651
B. good	58	1	14	2	29	3	43	1	14	640	52	17	52	26	4	649	48	6	45	33	16	641
C. fair	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	640	16	0	57	14	29	637	19	1	29	42	28	634
D. poor	0										0						3	0	15	41	44	627
<b>How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?</b>																						
A. harder than my regular schoolwork	42	0	0	0	0	3	60	2	40	628	25	9	36	18	36	635	24	5	38	33	24	638
B. about the same as my regular schoolwork	42	1	20	3	60	1	20	0	0	648	75	21	58	18	3	652	62	9	45	31	14	643
C. easier than my regular schoolwork	17	0	0	1	50	0	0	1	50	640	0						14	26	43	20	12	650
<b>How hard did you try on the mathematics part of this test?</b>																						
A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.	50	0	0	0	0	4	67	2	33	628	55	25	42	17	17	648	48	10	41	32	17	642
B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.	50	1	17	4	67	0	0	1	17	649	41	11	67	17	6	647	49	12	45	28	15	644
C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	0										5	0	50	50	0	646	3	9	33	27	32	637
<b>How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?</b>																						
A. almost every day	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	624	9	0	50	25	25	638	17	8	39	30	22	639
B. two or three days a week	25	0	0	1	33	2	67	0	0	642	34	20	53	20	7	650	34	11	44	31	14	643
C. two or three times each month	33	0	0	2	50	1	25	1	25	634	27	8	58	8	25	642	31	12	44	29	15	644
D. never or almost never	33	1	25	1	25	1	25	1	25	644	30	31	46	23	0	652	18	10	42	31	18	642
<b>How often do you use calculators in mathematics class?</b>																						
A. almost every day	0										2	0	0	100	0	630	11	11	37	29	23	641
B. two or three days a week	8	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	656	11	0	60	20	20	636	32	11	44	30	15	643
C. two or three times each month	0										14	0	67	33	0	649	32	11	45	30	15	643
D. never or almost never	92	1	9	3	27	4	36	3	27	637	73	25	50	13	13	649	26	9	40	32	19	641
<b>On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?</b>																						
A. less than 30 minutes	8	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	630	5	0	50	50	0	642	7	6	29	33	32	635
B. 30–45 minutes	50	0	0	1	17	3	50	2	33	633	41	22	56	11	11	650	37	8	39	34	20	640
C. 45–60 minutes	33	0	0	3	75	0	0	1	25	641	48	14	48	24	14	644	42	13	47	28	12	645
D. more than 60 minutes	8	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	672	7	33	67	0	0	658	15	12	46	27	15	644
<b>Optional school/SAU question</b>																						
A.	0										0											
B.	0										0											
C.	0										0											
D.	0										0											